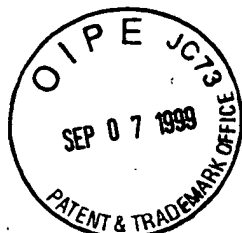


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE: APPLICATION OF)

R. DAVID LEWIS ET AL.) BACKFRAME FOR SELF

SERIAL NO. 08/926,788) CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS

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Please amend the above identified patent application as follows:

In the title:

Cancel the title and substitute - COMBINATION BACKFRAME
AND SELF CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS -

In the claims:

Cancel claim 1.

Amend the claims as follows:

Claim 2, line 1, cancel "A backframe" and substitute

- Apparatus -

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Claim 3, line 1, cancel "A backframe" and substitute

- Apparatus -

Claim 4, line 1, cancel "A backframe" and substitute

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